

2017  
UNITED STATES HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
DECLARATION OF WRITE-IN CANDIDACY

of

Brendan Phillips

for the office of United States Representative for the Third Congressional District.

STATE OF UTAH

County of Tooele

} ss.

I, Brendan Phillips, declare my intention of becoming a candidate for the office of United States Representative for the Third Congressional District. I do solemnly swear that: I will meet the qualifications to hold the office, both legally and constitutionally, if selected; I reside at 832 Lakeview in the City or Town of Stansbury Park, Utah, Zip Code 84074, Phone No. (801) 833-5832; I will not knowingly violate any law governing campaigns and elections. The mailing and email addresses that I designate for receiving official election notices from election officials are:

832 Lakeview

Official Mailing Address

Stansbury Park, UT 84074

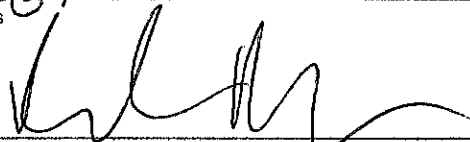
City/State/Zip Code

Brendan.S.Phillips@yahoo.com

Official Email Address

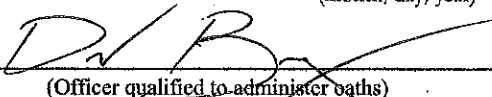
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Website

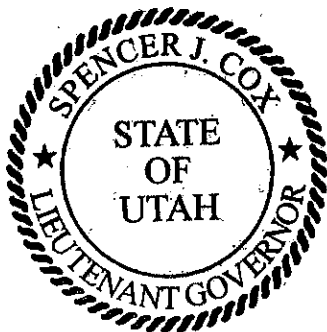


Signature of Candidate (Must be signed in the presence of the filing officer)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 08/17/2017  
(month/day/year)



(Officer qualified to administer oaths)



(Seal)

Received

AUG 17 2017

Spencer J. Cox  
Lieutenant Governor

(Date Received)

# QUALIFICATION FOR CANDIDATE FILING DECLARATION


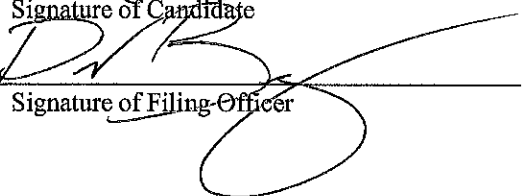
(Utah Code Section 20A-9-201)

Please initial:

BP The filing officer read the constitutional and statutory requirements as listed below to me, and I meet those qualifications.

BP I have received a copy of the pledge of fair campaign practices, and I understand that signing this pledge is voluntary.

BP I have provided a valid email or physical address if no email is available, and I understand this will be used for official communications and updates from election officials.

 _____ Signature of Candidate	<u>8/17/17</u> _____ Date
 _____ Signature of Filing Officer	<u>8/17/17</u> _____ Date

## QUALIFICATIONS

Before the filing officer accepts any declaration of candidacy, the filing officer shall read to the candidate the constitutional and statutory requirements for candidacy, and the candidate shall state whether he/she fulfills the requirements. If the candidate indicates that he/she does not qualify, the filing officer shall decline his/her declaration of candidacy. (Utah Code Section 20A-9-201, 202)

### UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE

*U.S. Constitution Article 1, Section 3*

- U.S. Citizen for 7 years
- At least 25 years old at the time the oath of office is taken;
- Inhabitant of Utah when elected



## PLEDGE OF FAIR CAMPAIGN PRACTICES

(Utah Code §20A-9-206)

There are basic principles of decency, honesty, and fair play which every candidate for public office in the State of Utah has a moral obligation to observe and uphold, in order that, after vigorously contested but fairly conducted campaigns, our citizens may exercise their right to a free election, and that the will of the people may be fully and clearly expressed on the issues.

### THEREFORE:

**I SHALL** conduct my campaign openly and publicly, discussing the issues as I see them, presenting my record and policies with sincerity and frankness, and criticizing, without fear or favor, the record and policies of my opponents that I believe merit criticism.

**I SHALL NOT** use, nor shall I permit the use of, scurrilous attacks on any candidate or the candidate's immediate family. I shall not participate in or nor shall I permit the use of defamation, libel, or slander against any candidate or the candidate's immediate family. I shall not participate in nor shall I permit the use of any other criticism of any candidate or the candidate's immediate family that I do not believe to be truthful, provable, and relevant to my campaign.

**I SHALL NOT** use, nor shall I permit the use of, any practice that tends to corrupt or undermine our American system of free elections, or that hinders or prevents the free expression of the will of the voters, including practices intended to hinder or prevent any eligible person from registering to vote or voting.

**I SHALL NOT** coerce election help or campaign contributions for myself or for any other candidate from my employees or volunteers.

**I SHALL** immediately and publicly repudiate support deriving from any individual or group which resorts, on behalf of my candidacy or in opposition to that of an opponent, to methods in violation of the letter or spirit of this pledge. I shall accept responsibility to take firm action against any subordinate who violates any provision of this pledge or the laws governing elections.

**I SHALL** defend and uphold the right of every qualified American voter to full and equal participation in the electoral process.

I, the undersigned, candidate for election to public office in the State of Utah, hereby voluntarily endorse, subscribe to, and solemnly pledge myself to conduct my campaign in accordance with the above principles and practices.

Name: Brendan Phillips Office: Third Congressional District

Signature: [Handwritten Signature] Date: 8/17/17

\*This is a voluntary pledge. Candidates are not required to sign this pledge of fair campaign practices.

\*This document is considered a public record and will be retained for public inspection until 30 days following the election.